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MISSOURI WEEKLY FEEDER CATTLE WEIGHTED AVERAGE REPORT

Receipts: 25,657 Week ago: 29,414 Year ago: 23,199
 Steers and Heifers Medium and Large 1 Hols. Large 3

Fdr. STEERS:		Fdr. HEIFERS:		Hols. STEERS	
366 lbs.	184.39	275 lbs.	200.48	464 lbs.	79.98
460 lbs.	173.71	358 lbs.	159.30	551 lbs.	81.66
555 lbs.	167.02	453 lbs.	154.38	663 lbs.	92.44
647 lbs.	161.28	549 lbs.	151.52	749 lbs.	87.87
743 lbs.	153.91	648 lbs.	147.00	881 lbs.	92.76
851 lbs.	145.73	732 lbs.	141.34	929 lbs.	93.00
950 lbs.	129.99	830 lbs.	131.53		
1013 lbs.	127.75	945 lbs.	121.81		

SOUTHERN MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (West Plains, Ava)

Receipts: 6315 Week Ago: 7514 Year ago: 6442
 Compared to last week, steers and heifers steady to 5.00 higher.
 Slaughter cows and bulls steady to 2.00 lower.

STEERS:		HEIFERS:	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	185.00-189.00	300-400 lbs.	152.50-169.00
400-500 lbs.	160.00-174.00	400-500 lbs.	140.00-159.00
500-600 lbs.	158.00-173.50	500-600 lbs.	142.50-154.00
600-700 lbs.	152.00-167.00	600-700 lbs.	138.00-147.00
700-800 lbs.	144.00-156.00	700-800 lbs.	Scarce
Load 833 lbs.	146.50	800-900 lbs.	127.00-128.00

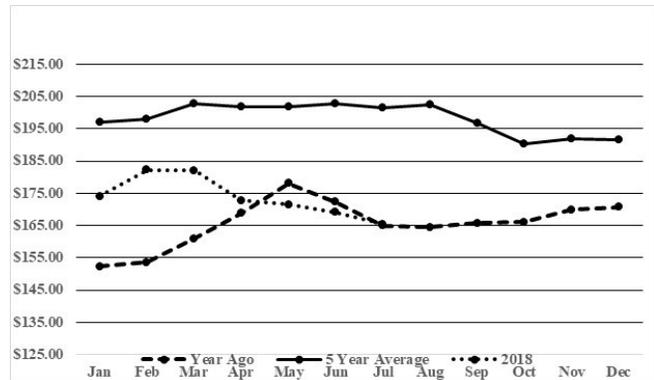
Holsteins:		SLAUGHTER COWS:	
Large 3		Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 50.00-57.00, high dressing 57.00-65.00, low dressing 46.00-52.50. Lean (85-90%) 44.50-54.50	
Pkg 413 lbs.	155.00		
Lot 571 lbs.	74.00		

SLAUGHTER BULLS:		REPLACEMENT COWS:	
Yield Grade 1-2 1300-2200 lbs 77.00-86.00, high dressing 84.00-90.00, low dressing 68.00-78.00		Medium and Large 1-2 2-6 yrs 900-1500 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 825.00-1300.00 per head	

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 2-7 yrs 985-1150 lbs some short bred with 150-300 lb calves 1150.00-1400.00 per pair.

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Historical Feeder Steers Medium and Large 1 500-600 lbs. Weighted Average



*Graph is updated the first Friday of each month.

Year Ago Slaughter Steers and Heifers:

Northeast Missouri: Steers: Choice 2-3 1200-1450 lbs. 118.00-121.75
 Heifers: scarce

East Central Missouri: Select and Choice 1-3 1000-1500 lbs 115.00-119.50. Select 1-2 1100-1250 lbs 109.00-115.00

SOUTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (Joplin and Springfield)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 8097 Week ago: 8134 Year ago: 6114
 Cow and Bull Receipts: 2073 Week ago: 1815 Year ago: 1208
 Compared last week, feeders steady to 4.00 higher some spots 6.00-10.00 higher on weaned calves and yearlings. Slaughter cows steady to 2.00 lower. Slaughter bulls steady to 2.00 lower.

STEERS:		HEIFERS:	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	178.00-190.00	300-400 lbs.	152.00-165.00
400-500 lbs.	162.00-181.00	400-500 lbs.	142.00-165.00
500-600 lbs.	161.00-177.00	500-600 lbs.	143.00-160.75
600-700 lbs.	151.00-177.60	600-700 lbs.	141.00-154.00
700-800 lbs.	146.50-162.75	700-800 lbs.	136.50-146.00
800-900 lbs.	144.00	800-900 lbs.	122.00-139.00

HOLSTEINS:		SLAUGHTER COWS:	
Large 3		Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 50.00-57.00, high dressing 55.00-65.50. Lean (85-90%) 44.00-52.00	
400-500 lbs.	75.00-84.00		
500-600 lbs.	80.00-92.00		
600-700 lbs.	85.00-93.50		
700-800 lbs.	87.50-89.50		
800-900 lbs.	92.25-94.50		

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1 4-6 yrs 1050-1320 lbs 2nd to 3rd stage 1100.00-1225.00. Medium and Large 1-2 2 yrs to short solid 1030-1370 lbs 825.00-1135.00 per head

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 2 yrs to short solid 1030-1340 lbs several rebred with babies to 470 lb calves 1075.00-1300.00; short solid to aged 1100-1275 lbs with babies to 175 lb calves 775.00-1060.00 per pair

WEST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Sedalia, Kingsville, Windsor, Butler)

Receipts: 4304 Week ago: 3248 Year ago: 2791

Compared to last week, feeders uneven, from 5.00 lower to 5.00 higher. Slaughter cows steady to 5.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS:
Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	186.00-190.00
400-500 lbs.	174.00-200.50
500-600 lbs.	150.00-182.00
600-700 lbs.	148.00-174.00
700-800 lbs.	142.00-165.00
800-900 lbs.	136.00-145.85

FEEDER HEIFERS:
Medium and Large 1

400-500 lbs.	142.00-169.00
500-600 lbs.	137.00-160.00
600-700 lbs.	132.00-157.00
700-800 lbs.	126.50-147.10
800-900 lbs.	120.00-137.25
Lot 962 lbs.	120.10

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1200-2200 lbs 78.00-86.00; high dressing 88.00-92.50; low dressing 68.50-74.00SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 46.00-61.00. Lean (85-90%) 45.50-55.00REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 2-8 yrs 955-1325 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 750.00-1050.00 per headCOW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 Scarce**EAST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Bowling Green, Kingdom City, Macon) (

Receipts: 1966 Week ago: 4692 Year ago: 2225

Compared to last week, feeders sold steady to 4.00 higher. Slaughter cows steady.

FEEDER STEERS:
Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	185.00-198.00
400-500 lbs.	183.00-195.50
500-600 lbs.	175.00-185.00
600-700 lbs.	163.00
700-800 lbs.	scarce

FEEDER HEIFERS:
Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	157.00-167.00
400-500 lbs.	158.00-166.00
500-600 lbs.	150.00-160.00
600-700 lbs.	145.00-156.50
700-800 lbs.	133.00-137.50

SLAUGHTER STEERS and HEIFERS: Choice 2-4 1100-1350 lbs 109.00-112.00. Select 1-2 1000-1400 lbs 101.00-108.50SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning, (70-85% lean) 56.00-61.50; high dressing 62.00-68.00. Lean (85-90%) 55.00-60.00BRED COWS: ScarceSLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1200-2500 lbs 80.00-86.00; high dressing scarce; low dressing scarce**NORTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Palmyra, Unionville, Green City, New Cambria)

Receipts: 550 Week ago: 2357 Year ago: 836

Slaughter Cattle Receipts: 44 Week Ago: 46 Year ago: 12

Not enough feeders this week for a price comparison. Slaughter cows 2.00 to 4.00 lower. Slaughter steers and heifers 1.00 to 2.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:
Medium and Large 1

Pkg 467 lbs.	178.00
550-600 lbs.	167.00-184.00

FEEDER HEIFERS:
Medium and Large 1

400-500 lbs.	161.00-164.00
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SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-3 1150-1475 lbs 110.75-114.00SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 55.50-62.50. Lean (85-90%) 53.00-57.00SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 1200-1300 lbs 112.25-112.75SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1650-2300 lbs 81.00-89.00, high dressing 92.00-93.00BRED HEIFERS: Medium and Large 1-2 pkg 3-4 yrs 1190 lbs 3rd stage 1200.00 per headCOW & CALF PAIRS: Scarce**SOUTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Patton, Farmington)

Receipts: 1556 Week ago: 1815 Year ago: 1793

Compared to last week, feeders sold uneven 6.00 lower to 3.00 higher. Slaughter cows and bulls mostly steady.

FEEDER STEERS:
Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	165.00-190.00
400-500 lbs.	155.00-178.00
500-600 lbs.	150.00-163.50
600-700 lbs.	140.00-160.50
700-800 lbs.	122.00-143.00

FEEDER HEIFERS:
Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	145.00-161.50
400-500 lbs.	132.00-150.00
500-600 lbs.	131.00-150.00
600-700 lbs.	125.00-147.50
700-800 lbs.	115.00-127.50

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 3 yrs to short and solid 1010-1550 lbs 2nd to 3rd stage 700.00-1190.00 per headSLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 48.50-56.50. high dressing 52.50-62.00. Lean (85-90% lean) 35.00-47.00COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 3-7 yrs 940-1305 lbs with 100-250 lb calves 970.00-1235.00 per pairSLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1280-2135 lbs 71.00-85.50, high dressing 84.00-89.00**SOUTH CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Cuba, Vienna)

Receipts: 3101 Week ago: 2144 Year ago: 2687

Compared to last week, steers and heifers steady. Slaughter cows steady to 2.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS:
Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	Scarce
400-500 lbs.	160.00-190.00
500-600 lbs.	153.50-181.00
600-700 lbs.	153.00-166.00
700-800 lbs.	150.00-157.75
Pkg 930 lbs.	130.00

FEEDER HEIFERS:
Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	Scarce
400-500 lbs.	144.50-155.00
500-600 lbs.	143.25-156.50
600-700 lbs.	140.00-152.85
700-800 lbs.	132.50-145.25
800-900 lbs.	124.75-125.25

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 few 3-7 yrs 950-1500 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 800.00-1120.00 per head.SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 48.00-54.50 high dressing 55.00-58.00, Lean (85-90%) 45.00-51.50COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 few 4-6 yrs 975-1250 lbs with 200-325 lb calves 1040.00-1225.00 per pairSLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1150-2275 lbs 72.00-84.00, low dressing 66.00-76.00**NORTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(St Joseph)

Receipts: 1529 Week Ago: 1185 Year ago: 1152

Compared to last week, steers steady to 3.00 higher. Heifers 2.00 to 13.00 higher. Slaughter cows 2.00 to 5.00 lower. Slaughter bulls 1.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS:
Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	192.50-206.00
400-500 lbs.	174.00-190.00
500-600 lbs.	157.00-174.00
600-700 lbs.	149.25-166.00
700-800 lbs.	136.00-158.00
800-900 lbs.	137.50-149.25

FEEDER HEIFERS:
Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	168.00-183.00
400-500 lbs.	159.00-169.00
500-600 lbs.	144.00-157.25
600-700 lbs.	133.00-148.00
Pkg 708 lbs.	143.25

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1295-2240 lbs 78.00-87.00, low dressing 65.00-75.00SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 50.00-60.00; high dressing 61.00-67.00. Lean (85-90%) 45.00-55.00BRED COWS: Medium and Large 1 2-8 yrs 1050-1550 lbs 1st to 3rd stage 785.00-1000.00 per headCOW CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1 2-8 yrs 1050-1500 lbs with 150-300 lb calves rebred 1125.00-1300.00 per pair

**MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT
SLAUGHTER CATTLE REPORT**

Weekly Receipts: 520 Week ago: 0 Year ago: 80
Trading from late last Friday remains inactive due to lower bids.

LIVE STEERS & HEIFERS: No sales reported
DRESSED STEERS & HEIFERS: (80 percent Choice) Thursday 8 loads Flat 176.00

GRADE AND WEIGHT (Grid): (over 80 percent Choice) late last Friday 5 loads 180.00

NATIONAL DIRECT DELIVERED FEEDER PIG REORT
Supply includes 34% formulated prices.

Early weaned pigs 10-12 lbs basis: Formula 21.72-44.00, weighted average 32.50. Cash 5.00-17.00, weighted average 13.64

Feeder Pigs 40 lbs basis: Cash 15.50-35.00, weighted average 24.00

BY-PRODUCT FEED PRICES

Alfalfa Pellets, St. Louis MO 235.00; Corn Gluten Feed pelleted, Southern MO 178.00-186.00; Distillers Grain Dried, Carrollton 155.00; Soy Hulls Kansas City, MO 95.00. Prices per ton.

WHOLESALE FEEDSTUFFS PRICES
(DOLLARS PER TON-BULK BASIS)

Area	Soybean Meal 48% Solvent	Cottonseed Meal 41% Solvent	Meat Meal	Wheat Middlings
Kansas City	323.85	300.00	270.00	120.00
St. Louis	356.50	290.00	270.00	107.50

**Springfield Livestock Marketing Center
Special Dairy Heifer Sale Report for 07/24/2018**

Receipts: 531 Last Month Special: 631 Year Ago: 608
Springer heifers bred seven to nine months: Supreme 1000.00-1100.00, ind Jersey 1100.00. Approved couple 800.00. Common 500.00-600.00. Heifers bred three to six months: Supreme 1025.00-1250.00, crossbred ind 1175.00. Approved 800.00-1050.00, crossbreds 800.00-1030.00. Medium 625.00-810.00, crossbreds 570.00-725.00. Common 500.00-600.00. Open Heifers: Approved 240-300 lbs 225.00-250.00; 300-400 lbs 285.00-325.00, pkg 322 lbs Crossbreds 375.00; 425-500 lbs 375.00-400.00, pkg 447 lbs Crossbreds 475.00; 410-455 lbs few Jerseys 635.00-725.00; 565-585 lbs 480.00-610.00; 535-600 lbs Crossbreds 550.00-635.00, Jerseys few 750.00-760.00; pkg 775 lbs 650.00; 800-875 lbs 630.00-675.00. Medium 550-565 lbs 350.00-400.00; pkg 618 lbs 460.00. Replacement Cows Fresh and Milking cows: Supreme ind 1050.00. Approved 775.00-925.00. Medium 600.00-825.00. Springer and Second Stage Cows: Bulk weighed to packers. Baby Calves: Holstein heifers few 150.00. Holstein bulls 80.00-125.00. Jersey bulls 90.00-100.00. Beef X bulls 200.00-280.00

**Montgomery County Livestock Auction Sheep and Goat Auction
Report for 08/09/2018**

Receipts: 743 Last Month: 327 Last Year: 576
SHEEP: 483 head (prices per cwt) Slaughter Lambs: Choice and Prime 2-3 55-98 lbs 145.00-153.00, 100-130 lbs 131.00-142.00. Choice 1-3 55-90 lbs 135.00-143.00. Slaughter Ewes: Good 1-2 850135 lbs 61.00-69.00, pkg 150 lbs 70.00. Utility 1-2 few 100-110 lbs 57.00-58.00. Replacement Ewes: Medium and Large 1-2 several pkgs young 2-4 yrs 85-128 lbs 90.00-99.00; lot 125 lbs 2 yrs 116.00. Feeder Lambs: Medium and Large 1-2 few 38-42 lbs 169.00-180.00; few 50-55 lbs 157.50-160.00. Slaughter Bucks: Scarce. Replacement Bucks: Scarce.
GOATS: 260 head (prices per cwt) Slaughter Kids: Selection 1-2 50-75 lbs 222.50-230.00; Selection 2 45-90 lbs 180.00-205.00; Selection 3 45-48 lbs dairy 140.00-148.00. Feeder Kids: Selection 1-2 pkg 40 lbs 200.00; Selection 2-3 30-37 lbs 155.00-165.00; Selection 3 35-37 lbs 132.50-134.00. Nannies: Selection 1-2 70-138 lbs 104.50-120.00 per cwt; Selection 2 50-115 lbs 80.00-105.00 per cwt. Replacement Nannies: Selection 1-2 few 75-90 lbs 95.00-115.00 per head. Billies: Selection 1-2 85-150 lbs 132.50-135.00 per cwt; Selection 2 70-115 lbs 112.50-122.50.

WEEKLY COMMODITY GRAIN FUTURES TRENDS

Compared to last Friday: Soybeans .38 to .41 lower, Wheat .07 to .10 lower, Corn .11 to .13 lower, KC Wheat .02 to .10 lower, Soybean Meal 8.50 to 9.00 lower.

Daily Grain Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Soybeans					
Aug	877 1/4	889 1/4	893 3/4	887 3/4	846
Sep	882 3/4	895 1/4	899 3/4	893	850 3/4
Nov	893 1/2	905 3/4	910 1/2	904	861 3/4
Jan	905	917	921 3/4	915 1/2	873 1/4
Mar	914 1/4	926 1/4	931 1/4	925	885
Wheat					
Sep	574 1/2	568 1/4	570	564 1/2	546 3/4
Dec	597 1/4	590	591 1/4	586 1/2	569 1/2
Mar	615	609 1/4	611 1/2	607	591
May	619	615	619 3/4	614 3/4	598 3/4
Jul	610 3/4	605 1/4	609 1/4	604 1/4	590 3/4
Corn					
Sep	371	370 3/4	371 1/4	369 1/4	357 3/4
Dec	385 1/4	384 1/2	385	382 3/4	371 3/4
Mar	396 1/2	395 1/4	396	394	383 1/4
May	402 3/4	402	402 1/2	400 3/4	390 1/4
Jul	408 1/2	407 3/4	408	406 1/4	396
KC Wheat					
Sep	586	579 1/2	584 1/4	578 1/4	559 3/4
Dec	614	607 1/4	610 3/4	604 1/4	585
Mar	631 1/2	625 1/2	629 3/4	624 1/4	606 1/2
May	638 3/4	633 3/4	639 3/4	634 3/4	618 3/4
Jul	633 1/4	626 1/4	630 1/4	626	613 3/4
SB Meal					
Aug	330.00	332.70	337.10	334.00	323.50
Sep	328.40	331.00	335.50	332.60	321.70
Oct	328.30	331.20	336.00	333.40	322.10
Dec	329.50	332.60	337.40	334.90	323.30
Jan	329.00	332.00	336.10	333.80	322.10

WEEKLY COMMODITY FUTURES TRENDS

Compared to last week: Live Cattle 2.25 to 3.05 lower; Lean Hogs nearby 3.70 lower, others .37 to 1.30 higher; Feeder Cattle 2.95 to 3.60 lower.

Daily Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Cattle					
Aug	110.40	110.07	109.82	108.25	108.25
Oct	111.55	110.92	111.00	109.05	109.25
Dec	115.22	114.37	114.52	112.97	113.10
Feb	118.60	117.15	117.20	116.50	116.37
Apr	119.85	118.37	118.52	118.02	117.25
Lean Hogs					
Aug	56.60	55.80	54.80	54.97	58.40
Oct	50.22	49.97	48.40	51.40	51.17
Dec	45.45	45.62	44.37	47.32	47.47
Feb	53.25	53.20	51.67	54.65	53.97
Apr	59.80	59.67	58.45	61.45	61.00
Fdr Cat					
Aug	151.85	149.85	150.65	149.35	149.90
Sep	151.85	148.72	149.75	149.02	149.52
Oct	152.27	149.50	149.97	149.20	149.47
Nov	152.82	150.65	150.82	149.70	149.91
Jan	151.60	149.77	149.85	148.65	148.65
Milk					
Aug	14.82	14.83	14.87	14.97	15.04
Sep	15.48	15.56	15.71	15.97	16.13
Oct	15.99	16.04	16.18	16.36	16.43

**WESTERN CORNBELT DAILY DIRECT PRIOP DAY HOG
REPORTS FOR 8/10/18**

BARROWS AND GILTS: Negotiated Purchase
Base Price Range 45.00-48.50, weighted average 46.01

SOWS: 300-500 lbs. 21.00-40.75
Over 500 lbs. 28.11-42.50

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MISSOURI GRAIN WEEKLY TRENDS

Weekly Trends: Soybeans .32 to .51 lower, Wheat .10 to .16 lower, Corn .10 to .12 lower, Sorghum .21 to .22 lower.

Area	#1 Soy-beans	#2 Soft Wheat	#2 Corn	#2 Grain Sorghum
Kansas City				
Friday**	8.57-8.72	5.58-5.71	3.66	5.89
Monday	8.48-8.63	5.55-5.89	3.66-3.76	5.91
Tuesday	8.61-8.76	5.48-5.83	3.66-3.67	5.91
Wednesday	8.65-8.80	5.50-5.85	3.66-3.67	5.91
Thursday	8.59-8.74	5.45-5.79	3.64-3.65	5.87
Friday	8.17-8.26	5.27-5.61	3.53-3.54	5.67
St. Louis				
Friday**	8.74-8.82	5.53-5.59	3.77	6.69
Monday	8.65-8.70	5.72-5.75	3.78	6.71
Tuesday	8.78-8.83	5.63-5.68	3.78	6.71
Wednesday	8.82-8.93	5.65-5.70	3.80-3.82	6.71
Thursday	8.83	5.60-5.64	3.79-3.82	6.67
Friday	8.40-8.42	5.42-5.46	3.64	6.48
Central				
Friday**	8.42-8.62	5.37	3.49-3.50	—
Monday	8.33-8.38	5.55-5.56	3.51-3.56	—
Tuesday	8.45-8.51	5.49	3.50-3.51	—
Wednesday	8.50-8.55	5.51	3.51	—
Thursday	8.44-8.49	5.45-5.46	3.49	—
Friday	8.01-8.07	5.27-5.28	3.37-3.38	—
S.E. MO				
Friday**	8.62-8.79	5.51-5.68	3.59-3.68	—
Monday	8.50-8.63	5.63-5.78	3.57-3.71	—
Tuesday	8.72-8.80	5.57-5.73	3.57-3.70	—
Wednesday	8.77-8.87	5.59-5.76	3.63-3.76	—
Thursday	8.71-8.75	5.54-5.70	3.61-3.69	—
Friday	8.31-8.40	5.39-5.44	3.50-3.57	—

Missouri Crop Progress and Condition Report 08/06/18

Temperatures last week averaged 76.0 degrees, 0.2 degrees below normal. Precipitation averaged 0.67 inches statewide, 0.03 inches below normal. There were 6.7 days suitable for fieldwork for the week ending August 5, 2018. Topsoil moisture supply was rated 48 percent very short, 37 percent short, and 15 percent adequate. Subsoil moisture supply was rated 47 percent very short, 36 percent short, and 17 percent adequate. Corn dough progressed to 84 percent, 22 percentage points ahead of the 5-year average. Corn dented reached 35 percent. Corn condition was rated 20 percent very poor, 24 percent poor, 30 percent fair, 22 percent good, and 4 percent excellent. Soybeans blooming progressed to 86 percent, 18 percentage points ahead of the 5-year average. Soybeans setting pods progressed to 58 percent, 14 percentage points ahead of last year. Soybean condition was rated 11 percent very poor, 22 percent poor, 33 percent fair, 30 percent good, and 4 percent excellent. Cotton bolls opening reached 5 percent. Cotton condition was rated 5 percent poor, 32 percent fair, 51 percent good, and 12 percent excellent. Rice headed was reported at 78 percent. Rice condition was rated 11 percent poor, 19 percent fair, 49 percent good, and 21 percent excellent. Sorghum headed progressed to 74 percent. Sorghum turning color progressed to 22 percent. Sorghum condition was rated 3 percent very poor, 18 percent poor, 40 percent fair, 35 percent good, and 4 percent excellent.

(PRICES PER BU. EXCEPT GR. SORG. PER CWT)
 *NEW CROP **PREVIOUS WEEK'S PRICES